

COUNTY OF MONO

POSITION OPENING

FILING DEADLINE: OPEN UNTIL FILLED

First Application Review: 9/23/2002

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE I-II Public Health DepartmentMammoth Lakes and/or Bridgeport

SALARY: I - \$3,184 - \$3,870 II - \$3,346 - \$4,067

The County of Mono is accepting applications for Public Health Nurse I/II (depending on qualifications) with the Public Health Department. For further information about the job, contact Lynda Salcido at 760-924-1842.

Work is usually performed in an office or clinic environment or in private home setting; exposure to communicable diseases and bio-hazardous waster; frequent contact with staff and the public. Incumbents may be required to drive in remote areas of the County in all weather conditions.

Desirable Qualifications include:

Knowledge of:

- Principles, methods, and procedures of general nursing and public health nursing
- Public health issues and problems
- Causes, means of transmission, and methods of control of communicable diseases
- Means of promoting child and maternal health and public health programs
- Sociological and cultural problems involved in public health nursing
- Principles of public health education

Ability and willingness to:

- Learn to educate and work with patients and their families
- Communicate effectively orally and in writing
- Learn community resources and demography
- Follow oral and written instructions
- Apply Universal Health Care Precautions
- Assess the physical conditions of patients
- Make presentations to local community groups and health care providers
- Maintain confidentiality
- Coordinate assigned activities with community organizations and other government agencies
- Interview patients and families to gather medical history

<u>Training and Experience</u>: Any combination of training and experience, which would provide the required knowledge and abilities, is qualifying. A typical way to obtain the required knowledge and abilities might be:

Bachelors Degree in Nursing or Health Sciences is required.

PHN I – One (1) yr. Experience as a Registered Nurse, preferably in a public health or clinical setting is highly desirable. **PHN II** – One (1) yr. Increasingly responsible experience as a Public Health Nurse I.

Special Requirements:

- Possession of a driver's license valid in California.
- Possession of a valid license as a Registered Nurse in California.
- **PHN I** Typically, incumbents have one year from the date of appointment to this class to obtain a valid Public Health Nurse License in California.
- PHN II Possession of a valid Public Health Nurse License in California.

Application Process:

For a complete job description and application please contact the County Administrative Office at (760) 932-5410. This position is OPEN UNTIL FILLED, with the first application review on Monday, September 23, 2002. This position is being advertised to the general public as well as "In-County" at this time. **Qualified** County employees that have attained permanent status will be given hiring preference. Applicants may fax applications to 760-932-5411; however, the original application must be mailed. **All completed County applications** received in our office will be considered.

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